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Title:	<b>IMPLANTABLE MONITORING PROBE</b>		

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 41.31, Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final rejection of claims 50-58 of the above-identified application, as set forth in the Office Action mailed January 14, 2008.

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